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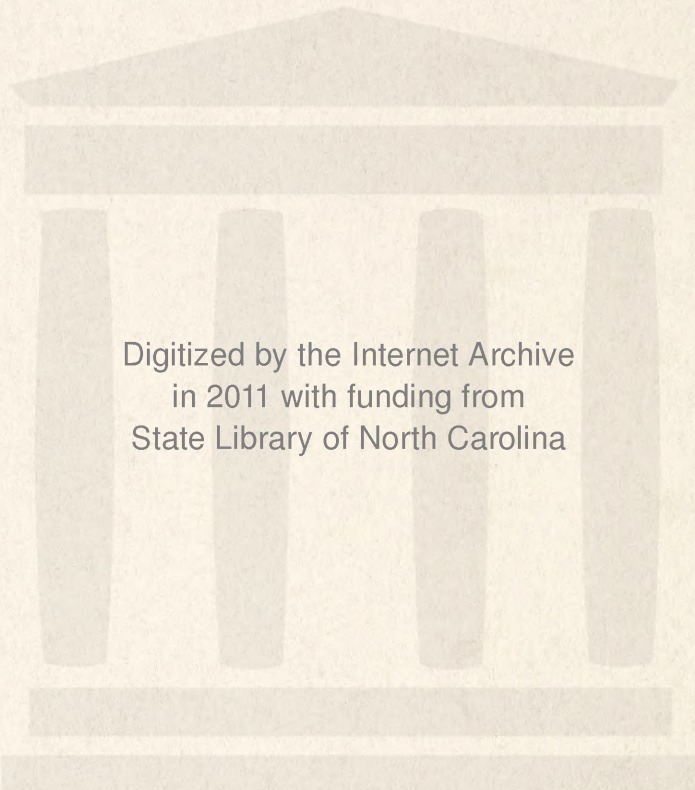
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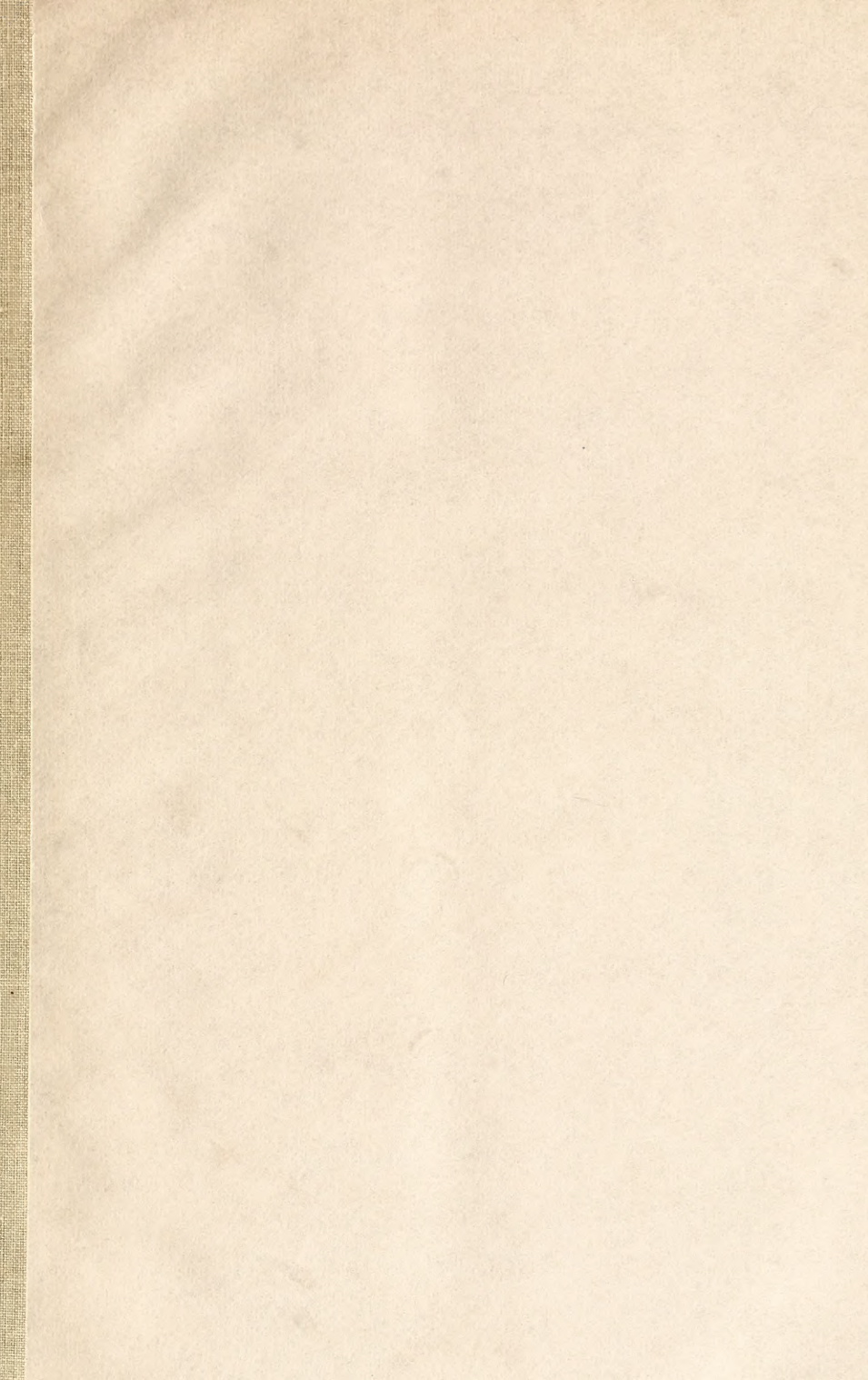
REPORT OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF WILKES COUNTY
1918/19

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TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION:

Gentlemen: I herewith respectfully submit to you my annual report of the Public Schools of Wilkes County for the scholastic year ending June 30, 1919.

I desire to congratulate you upon the success of the work during the past year. When we consider the many epidemics prevalent in various parts of the county during the past winter, the results are exceedingly gratifying.

I wish to call your attention to the table showing the progress of public education in our county since the year of 1900. It is indeed an encouraging story of progress and should be an incentive to our people to attempt still greater things in the years to come.

With best wishes for the continued success of the work in our county, I am,

Most sincerely yours,

C. C. WRIGHT,

County Superintendent of Schools.

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June 30, 1919.

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Feeling that it is a duty we owe to the public to give an account of the progress of public education in the county each year, and believing that the patrons of the public schools, the school officers and the friends of education will be pleased to receive this information, and that a better knowledge of what our schools are doing will tend to create more interest in them we gladly present to you this our twentieth annual report trusting that the work done and the results achieved merit and may receive your approval.

Very truly yours,

C. C. WRIGHT,

County Superintendent of Schools.

Hunting Creek, N. C.,

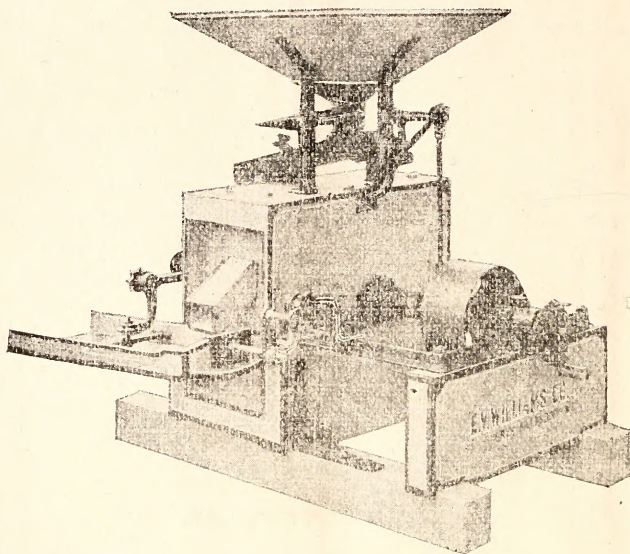
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STATISTICS BY DISTRICTS

TOWNSHIP	District	Census	Enrolled	Attendance	Principal
Antioch	1	82	61	37	Miss L. L. Martin
Antioch	2	66	43	22	J. B. Ray
Antioch	3	35	30	20	W. S. Edwards
Antioch	4	73	40	23	G. W. Miller
Beaver Creek	1	71	57	27	A. J. Foster
Beaver Creek	2	93	Not Taught		
Boomer	1	147	68	47	V. McGhinnis
Boomer	2	90	Not Taught.		
Boomer	3	68	Not Taught.		
Brushy Mountain	1	59	46	21	Miss Florence Gilreath
Brushy Mountain	2	61	41	17	Miss Bertha Revis
Brushy Mountain	3	34	30	21	Miss Pedia Hayes
Brushy Mountain	4	77	62	35	Miss Della Hendren
Edwards	1	71	55	33	Miss Ella Salmons
Edwards	2	65	63	31	W. A. Durham
Edwards	3	100	61	41	E. W. Settle
Edwards	4	73	44	28	C. M. Settle
Edwards	5	181	107	52	J. C. Boyd
Edwards	6	84	60	43	L. M. Hinshaw
Edwards	7	125	80	42	J. F. Layne
Edwards	8	135	94	63	Miss Mayme Carter
Edwards	9	78	45	33	R. C. Harris
Edwards	10	96	76	36	W. V. Hurt
Edwards	11	91	84	46	Coy Durham
Edwards	12	46	39	27	Miss M. E. Sale
Edwards	13	51	49	34	Miss Nettie Myers
Edwards Special			44	35	M. F. Barker
Elk	1	106	74	46	Miss Della Bumgarner
Elk	2	78	55	31	Miss Anna West
Elk	3	58	39	20	J. L. Wellborn
Elk	4	91	88	60	Francis Hawkins
Elk	5	48	31	19	Miss Nora Elledge
Elk	6	38	28	20	Miss Nora Annas
Elk	7	47	45	37	Miss Vera Church
Jobs Cabin	1	52	44	20	Miss Edith Walsh
Jobs Cabin	2	116	82	49	Mrs. J. W. Norris
Jobs Cabin	3	59	44	33	Miss Vergie Welch
Jobs Cabin	4	61	35	31	Miss Vergie Welch
Jobs Cabin	5	56	43	30	Elbert Blevins

STATISTICS BY DISTRICTS

TOWNSHIP	District	Census	Enrolled	Attendance	Principal
Lewis Fork	1	108	75	56	J. C. Church
Lewis Fork	2	40	40	24	Grady Baker
Lewis Fork	3	64	29	22	J. T. Cardwell
Lewis Fork	4	85	33	24	Miss Della Lee Thompson
Lewis Fork	5	70	51	39	L. A. Triplett
Lovelace	1	52	60	31	Blaine Howard
Lovelace	2	66	61	27	Miss Iduma Hayes
Lovelace	3	64	20	17	Mrs. J. T. C. Wright
Lovelace	4	28	24	16	Miss Rebecca Chambers
Lovelace	5	41	Not Taught.		
Moravian Falls	1	141	91	69	Miss Annie Winkler
Moravian Falls	2	41	25	14	Mrs. Marie Greene
Moravian Falls	3	79	52	31	Miss Ada Settle
Moravian Falls	4	42	27	21	Miss Roxie Billings
Moravian Falls	5	91	66	36	I. C. Church
Moravian Falls	6	34	28	23	W. W. Gryder
M. Falls Special			19	16	John Isaacs
Mulberry	1	77	45	21	Spencer McGrady
Mulberry	2	105	92	61	W. H. Sebastian
Mulberry	3	60	42	28	Miss Cordia Wyatt
Mulberry	4	98	85	30	I. E. Sebastian
Mulberry	5	70	Not Taught.		
Mulberry	6	66	51	29	Miss Blanche Thompson
Mulberry	7	107	84	60	H. A. Durham
Mulberry	8	71	42	25	Reid Ellledge
New Castle	1	55	43	34	Mrs. Rachel Messick
New Castle	2	55	46	29	Mrs. W. H. Jones
New Castle	3	103	66	47	J. T. Redding
New Castle	4	101	77	56	R. R. Crater
New Castle	5	35	26	18	Miss Ina Pardue
New Castle	6	53	44	34	Stephen Pardue
New Castle	7	53	50	31	L. D. Wellborn
North Wilkesboro	1	535	473	302	E. C. Willis
North Wilkesboro	2	105	68	37	C. M. Cope
North Wilkesboro	3	49	42	23	D. C. Sebastian
North Wilkesboro	4	55	43	21	Miss Emma Gwaltney
Reddies River	1	100	75	45	Miss Belva Triplett
Reddies River	2	90	60	25	Miss Fannie Church
Reddies River	3	163	146	68	Miss Gertrude Edminsten

STATISTICS BY DISTRICTS

TOWNSHIP	District	Census	Enrolled	Attendance	Principal
Reddies River	4	117	90	51	J. C. Parsons
Reddies River	5	148	97	46	T. H. Eller
Reddies River	6	98	62	44	J. T. Nichols
Reddies River	7	21	12	11	Gaither Bumgarner
Rock Creek	1	92	77	45	J. H. Wood
Rock Creek	2	104	94	43	C. B. Elledge
Rock Creek	3	95	87	43	J. A. Gilliam
Rock Creek	4	124	84	42	Mrs. Sallie Gilliam
Rock Creek	5	119	99	63	A. B. Hays
Somers	1	75	72	44	James Howell
Somers	2	83	66	44	Miss Etha Caudill
Somers	3	74	63	42	Miss China Redmond
Somers	4	63	42	32	Mrs. Addie E. Sale
Somers	5	80	68	42	Miss Cora Inscore
Somers	6	55	45	36	Miss Wardie White
Stanton	1	83	79	58	F. C. Watts
Stanton	2	49	20	14	Miss Mary Bumgarner
Stanton	3	47	30	17	F. G. Yates
Stanton	4	24	32	21	Miss Agatha Calloway
Traphill	1	214	171	90	Miss Alice Dixon
Traphill	2	119	90	70	H. E. Billings
Traphill	3	84	63	27	Miss Annie Lewis
Traphill	4	114	95	55	Miss Etha Hoots
Traphill	5	103	71	45	R. M. Waddell
Traphill	6	119	80	41	J. G. Billings
Traphill	7	52	31	14	G. W. Miles
Union	1	66	49	24	Miss Callie Whittington
Union	2	68	42	33	J. R. Porter
Union	3	88	Not Taught		
Union	4	56	Not Taught.		
Union	5	127	91	57	W. R. Craft, Jr.
Union	6	58	33	20	N. C. Miller
Union	7	73	35	26	Miss Ethel Bowline
Union	8	65	67	36	Bruce Bowline
Union	9	30	Not Taught.		
Union	10	73	32	25	Miss Lelia Myers
Union	11	67	47	36	Walter Whittington
Walnut Grove	1	48	31	27	Earl Caudill
Walnut Grove	2	86	53	34	U. S. Myers

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TOWNSHIP	District	Census	Enrolled	Attendance	Principal
Walnut Grove	3	63	Not Taught.		
Walnut Grove	4	77	60	25	S. C. Hutchinson
Walnut Grove	5	47	42	29	W. L. Brewer
Walnut Grove	6	48	51	22	Minter Blevins
Walnut Grove	7	90	61	33	Mrs. Susie Handy
Walnut Grove	8	63	37	20	Miss Docia Elledge
Walnut Grove	9	69	42	24	Charlie Miles
Wilkesboro	1	58	38	22	Monroe Mastin
Wilkesboro	2	55	48	39	Mrs. Blanche Miller
Wilkesboro	3	63	37	18	Miss Janie M. Gilreath
Wilkesboro	4	72	48	32	Asa Greene
Wilkesboro	5	255	235	152	W. E. Bird
Wilkesboro	6	49	47	35	Miss Lillian Miller

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Antioch	1	22	9	8	P. C. Adams
Antioch	2	29	20	17	Mrs. Louester Dobbins
Beaver Creek	1	32	22	13	Mrs. Sarah Patterson
Boomer	1	76	62	26	Mrs. Eva B. Gilreath
Boomer	2	40	28	20	A. H. Foust
Edwards	1	100	47	33	J. T. Transon
Edwards	2	42	Not Taught.		
Elk	1	57	27	15	Mrs. K. C. Witherspoon
Elk	2	18	12	8	Joe Jones
Lewis Fork	1	12	Not Taught.		
Mulberry	1	8	6	6	Miss Addie Bryan
New Castle	1	37	25	18	Miss Marion Jones
New Castle	2	20	20	20	Mrs. M. L. Petty
North Wilkesboro	1	66	48	20	H. D. Houghton
North Wilkesboro	2	67	40	31	Miss Isabelle Rousseau
Rock Creek	1	25	25	12	Miss Blanche Parks
Traphill	1	64	45	26	Miss Nannie M. Horton
Union	1	9	8	6	C. I. Smith
Wilkesboro	1	150	111	80	N. W. Roberts
Wilkesboro	2	120	88	77	P. A. Biggers
Wilkesboro	3	45	24	17	Miss Maude Redmond

STATISTICS BY TOWNSHIPS

TOWNSHIP	District	Cen sus	Enrolled	Attendance	Sup. Lib.	Value of School Prop	Local Tax School
Antioch	6	307	203	127	9	\$2200	2
Beaver Creek	2	196	79	40	5	2350	2
Boomer	5	421	158	93	10	10200	3
Brushy Mtn.	4	231	179	94	7	3200	0
Edwards	15	1358	948	580	36	13285	8
Elk	9	541	399	256	11	4835	3
Jobs Cabin	5	344	248	163	6	2920	0
Lewis Fork	6	379	228	165	6	4270	2
Lovelace	5	251	171	91	13	2880	0
Moravian Falls	6	428	308	210	15	5280	0
Mulberry	9	662	447	260	17	4750	2
New Castle	9	512	406	287	9	5070	2
N. Wilkesboro	6	877	714	434	19	38260	6
Reddies River	7	737	542	290	13	8000	1
Rock Creek	6	559	466	248	6	7075	2
Somers	6	430	356	240	9	3900	0
Stanton	4	213	161	110	4	2300	2
Traphill	8	869	646	368	12	8600	1
Union	12	780	410	264	2	4850	2
Walnut Grove	9	597	377	214	4	4675	1
Wilkesboro	9	867	676	472	33	21100	5
Totals	149	11539	8122	5006	246	\$169000	44

PUPILS STUDYING THE DIFFERENT BRANCHES

TOWNSHIP	Arith.	Lang.	Gram.	Geog.	Physiology	N. C. Hist.	U. S. Hist.	C. Govt.	Agri.
Antioch	137	90	17	77	36	24	42	4	13
Beaver Creek	27	22	6	22	11	6	19	2	17
Boomer	152	89	32	80	42	43	62	21	17
Brushy Mountain	133	29	29	76	17	20	21	1	13
Edwards	427	217	129	293	90	60	180	14	81
Elk	256	166	62	161	65	42	99	33	43
Jobs Cabin	161	52	38	71	28	7	39	2	4
Lewis Fork	111	81	40	92	47	23	52	0	24
Lovelace	80	38	17	57	16	26	23	8	10
Moravian Falls	225	105	69	125	49	27	46	17	38
Mulberry	234	84	72	155	65	45	119	24	24
New Castle	229	114	38	166	64	41	65	6	28
N. Wilkesboro	492	452	208	253	48	49	79	24	35
Reddies River	276	100	90	183	41	24	113	11	32
Rock Creek	249	50	63	171	20	23	78	5	20
Somers	198	121	41	167	96	57	50	8	53
Stanton	93	46	20	44	27	13	26	5	11
Traphill	387	243	114	196	93	30	97	29	42
Union	146	61	50	108	45	20	69	16	15
Walnut Grove	154	51	46	101	36	22	57	10	10
Wilkesboro	357	370	116	263	65	19	188	31	68
Totals	4524	2581	1297	2861	1001	621	1524	271	598

ENROLLED BY GRADES

TOWNSHIP	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th
Antioch	75	20	19	31	26	17	5	0	0	0	0
Beaver Creek	43	10	2	12	5	7	0	0	0	0	0
Bcomer	53	17	14	18	40	7	3	2	3	1	0
Brushy Mount	70	22	25	22	8	17	11	4	0	0	0
Edwards	345	109	118	125	81	88	48	26	5	3	0
Elk	126	42	44	58	41	44	36	7	1	0	0
Jobs Cabin	72	26	37	40	25	35	11	2	0	0	0
Lewis Fork	64	28	21	26	37	26	22	4	0	0	0
Lovelace	60	19	23	15	34	15	5	0	0	0	0
Moravian Fall	80	33	39	54	34	27	29	12	0	0	0
Mulberry	156	50	47	64	42	40	44	4	0	0	0
New Castle	131	49	56	61	55	27	16	11	0	0	0
N. Wilkesboro	203	92	71	74	75	45	44	41	40	17	12
Reddies River	182	74	58	72	61	56	22	15	2	0	0
Rock Creek	124	44	54	57	48	71	66	2	0	0	0
Somers	111	36	46	56	53	37	15	2	0	0	0
Stanton	45	18	19	18	36	16	9	0	0	0	0
Traphill	190	70	86	108	62	51	47	27	5	0	0
Union	161	55	47	53	37	33	23	0	1	0	0
Walnut Grove	128	44	33	58	41	38	30	5	0	0	0
Wilkesboro	190	64	100	75	90	47	41	20	18	17	14
Totals	2609	932	959	1097	921	744	527	184	75	38	26

PROGRESS IN EDUCATION IN WILKES COUNTY.

	1900	1919
Rural libraries	0	146
Supplementary Libraries	0	246
Second Original Libraries	0	20
Local Tax Schools	0	43
Value of School Property	\$6580	\$160000
Frame School Houses	64	145
Log School Houses	34	1
Districts with no House	33	0
Painted School Houses	1	89
Houses with Bells	3	120
Houses with Desks	14	134
Teachers employed	130	216
Schools Taught	115	137
Schools with Assistant Teachers	3	49
Schools Teaching High School Subjects	4	29
Schools with Three or More Teachers	0	13
Monthly Salary of White Teachers	\$20	\$45
Teachers with Normal Training	6	99
Illiteracy	13%	1%
Enrollment	6233	8122
Attendance	2312	5006
School Census	10054	11539
Members Teachers' Association	30	183
Graduating Class—County Commencement	0	110
Raised by Local Taxation	0	\$12534.40
Pupils Studying Arithmetic	2185	4524
Pupils Studying Language & Grammar	869	3878
Pupils Studying Geography	1265	2861
Pupils Studying N. C. History	365	621
Pupils Studying U. S. History	364	1524
Pupils Studying Civil Government	51	271
Pupils Studying Agriculture	0	598
Enrollment in Daily Attendance	37%	62%
Certificates of Merit Awarded	0	7502
Perfect Spellers for Term	Not Reported	244
Debates	Not Reported	180
Entertainments	Not Reported	103
Spelling Matches	Not Reported	902
Parents' Meetings	Not Reported	103
Reading Circle Completed	0	55
Per Cent of School Census Enrolled	62%	70%
Per Cent of Census in Average Daily Attendance	23%	43%
Library Certificates Awarded	0	412
Medals for Seven Years Perfect Attendance	0	12
Teachers on the Honor Roll	0	42
Districts Attaining Standard of Excellence	0	19
War Savings Societies	0	48
Red Cross Societies	0	13

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SEVENTH GRADE GRADUATES

Following is a list of those who completed this year the grammar grades of the public schools and who were awarded diplomas entitling them to entrance in the county high schools:

Everett Parsons	Carner Lowe	Ida Lowe
Mayme Vannoy	Hoyt Whitley	Glenn Key
D. C. Whittington	Eva Broadway	Judie Walls
Nella Staley	Rose Whitley	Ruth Walls
Ina Beshears	Beatrice Cope	Lizzie Walls
Quincy Adams	Bernice Doughton	Pet Collens
Teddy Nichols	Sallie Woodruff	Stella Key
Zola Foster	Willie Hutchinson	Rettie Mitchell
Glibart Foster	Edna Williams	Marie Jarvis
Zora Church	Audie Call	Dwight Jarvis
Charlie Adkins	Gaither Glass	Eddie Church
Nora Triplett	Horton Lowe	Mary Elizabeth Cranor
Beatrice Church	John Hubbard	Nell Blair Gwyn
Florence Church	Nellie Marlow	Sam Johnson
Wayne Eller	Roland Bumgarner	Carrie E. Brookshire
Roby McNeil	Gladys Byrd	Agnes Louise Shook
Celesta Goforth	Wrena Culler	Chas. Ladons Beeson
Genia Goforth	Annie Duncan	Helen Berry Marlowe
Ada Sue Barlow	Ray Erwin	Blanche Elsie Trogdon
Blanche Shepherd	Robert Foster	Clara Virginia Long
Pearl Blevins	Fred Hall	Wm. Hardin Rhodes
Cranford Blevins	Lytle Howell	Mary Virginia Moore
Verna Blevins	Jessie Lenderman	Franklin Dean Norris
Ruth Gregory	Pearl Mitchell	Lurrie Jane Reynolds
Chyopher Billings	John Miller	Ernest H. Trogdon
Thomas Phudy Bryan	Winnie Steele	Wm. Edgar Reynolds
Paul Caudill	William Tate	Geo. D. Anderson
Paul Higgins	Davidson Moore	Hubert Henry Beeson
Kelly Johnson	Paul Swanson	Percy C. Parker
Jesse Sidden	Clara Critcher	Thos. Hume McNeil
Clara Bauguss	Maxie Pardue	Jno. J. Darlington.
Blanche Lowe	Frances Laws	COLORED.
Nellie Alexander	Mattie Rose Laws	Lillie Harris
Maggie Rhoads	Griffin Humphries	Mae Harris
Ina Walker	Billy Greer	Clara Wade
Lula Duncan	James Isaacs	David Kelly
Gladys Duncan	Nobie Isaacs	Merlie Woods

PERFECT SPELLERS.

Feeling that the subject of spelling was being neglected in some of our schools, and realizing its importance and hoping to arouse a greater degree of interest in this matter our Board of Education has decided to give an award of honor to each pupil in the public schools of the county who was perfect in spelling for the entire term. This experiment has already demonstrated its worth and is to become a permanent feature of the educational work of the county. The following is a list of those who received these awards of honor;

Alice Anderson	Cordia Love	Clyde Davis
Charlie West	Ennis Scuther	Effie Prevette
Mayme Vannoy	Fred Walker	Dwight Parks
Nelia Staley	Jettie Anderson	Hal Kemp
Ola Staley	Blanche Jones	Attrice Coleman
Edna Staley	Carrie Jones	Roy Nicholson
Mitch Shepherd	Maie Ellis	Commie Gregory
Florence Shepherd	Ellen Estep	Sanford Jarvis
Hackett Shepherd	Nellie Smithey	Granville Gregory
Ara Dyer	Mary Lou Earp	James Alden Fowler
Clifford Church	Lola Anderson	Elizabeth Hickerson
Clyde Church	Bertha Baity	Marie Jarvis
Garlie Foster	Ada Baity	Nell Jarvis
Georgia C. Teague	Icic Baity	Lillie St. John
Eugenia D. Teague	Flossie Combs	Florence Mathis
Esther Nichols	Cordie Livingston	Ruby Jarvis
Beatrice Nichols	Roy Combs	Roxie St. John
Ruth Bumgarner	Eva Chambers	Etta Sale
Lisha Bumgarner	Cordia Hayes	Julia Johnston
Ruth Shepherd	Lucile German	Elvin Greenwood
Clyde Shepherd	Jno. Hamilton	German Margaret Burch
Edara Shepherd	Mabel Brock	Willie Williams
Dorothy Walker	Nellie Brock	Elsie Wiles
Rosa Crysel	Chester Lowe	Charlie Watkins
Rachel Whittington	Fred Brock	Paul Shoaf
Irene Johnson	Eula Brock	Verdie Barnett
Clair Whittington	Maude Brock	Franklin Stafford
Ruth Whittington	Ula Foster	John Anderson
Zola Foster	Hattie Foster	Albert Hayes
Gilbert Foster	Harve Call	Lucile Pierce
Zora Church	Lestie Barnett	Linnie Hart
Beatrice Church	Nell Foster	Howard Johnson
Florence Church	Audie Call	Larry Brewer
Wayne Eller	Evie Chambers	Elizabeth Willis

PERFECT SPELLERS

Ora Eller
 Nora Triplett
 Charlie Elledge
 Roby McNeil
 Ila Huffman
 Dual Whittington
 Edna Whittington
 Ora Vannoy
 Mabel Vannoy
 Nora Royal
 Osco Royal
 Ella Royal
 Fairley Royal
 Glenn Royal
 John McNeil
 Maggie Keys
 Nora Warren
 Emma Brown
 Dossie Collins
 Ethel Warren
 Lelia Handy
 Geo. Roy Alexander
 Nae Shumate
 Dessie Adams
 Floss Caudill
 Ruth Joines
 Verna Joines
 Marvin Joines
 W. A. Shumate
 Charlie Truitt
 Guy Truitt
 Della Myers
 John Brown
 Elbern Brown
 Anna Belle Church
 Lola Church
 Belva Queen
 McCager Brown
 Henry Damron
 Inez Martin
 John Hubbard
 Horton Lowe
 Lucinda Hendren
 Virginia Hendren
 Roy Hendren
 Dorothy Love
 Vera Love

Gaither Glass
 Erma Combs
 Helen Blevins
 Billy Dimmette
 Mattie Rose Laws
 Florence Moore
 Etta Belle Costner
 Vaughn Jennings
 Agnes Blackburn
 Charlie Byrd
 Viola Byrd
 Fannie Byrd
 Vance Byrd
 Theodore Lyon
 Sue Lyon
 Pearl Lyon
 Lonie Luffman
 Grace Hayes
 Eunice Greene
 Dennis Bryant
 Emma Lee Mayberry
 Kermit Souther
 Flavil Souther
 Cecil Johnson
 Georgia Johnson
 Rhoda Johnson
 Flossie Johnson
 Cordie Johnson
 Russell Johnson
 Gordon Johnson
 Shirley Johnson
 Ella Inscore
 Thelma Inscore
 Leana Shatley
 Bertha Roberts
 Robert Prevette
 China Shew
 Etta Prevette
 Gridley Prevette
 Esmer Wellborn
 Minnie D. Jennings
 Lanita Nicholson
 Gwyn Adams
 Tilden Mathis
 Bessie Scott
 Esther Felts

Minnie Dancey
 Daphne Spainhour
 Gwyn Harper
 Lina Forester
 Lessie Wallace
 Herman Sprinkle
 Ora Edmisten
 William Spicer
 Sherman Queen
 John Shook
 James Allen
 Edwin Crews
 Bryce Caudill
 Warren Kilby
 Myrtle Norris
 Myrtle Foster
 Blanche Parsons
 Beatrice Parsons

COLORED

Frank Dobbins
 Mattie Witherspoon
 Sylvester Ferguson
 Lindsey Ferguson
 Creolar Horton
 Grace Horton
 Etta Horton
 Willie Horton
 Mary Horton
 Lola Martin
 Ester Parks
 John Campbell
 Eugene Simpson
 Lector Parks
 Rosy Parks
 Wray Carlton
 Wilber Ferguson
 Bessie Carlton
 Lola Harris
 Dona Barnes
 Lillie Harris
 Clara Wade
 Davie Kelly
 Mae Harris
 Mertie Woods
 Stella Hampton

READING CIRCLE COMPLETED.

On the completion of four consecutive years' of work as outlined by the State Department of Education each member of the State's Teachers' Reading Circle is awarded a diploma which is recognized by all the county superintendents of the State. Practically all the teachers of Wilkes County are members of this Reading Circle which is designed primarily for the professional improvement of its members, and following is a list of those teachers who have completed the work:

Absher, Mrs. M. A.	Hendren, Mrs. Maie	Sebastian, I. E.
Billings, J. G.	Jones, Mrs. Jettie	Settle, E. W.
Billings, Mrs. Maude	Martin, Miss L. L.	Sale, Miss Mattie E.
Bungarner, M. F.	Mastin, M. P.	Waddell, R. M.
Caudill, Miss Eudemia	McGrady, John	Wellborn, L. D.
Church, Crosby	Miller, U. A.	Wright, Mrs. J. T. C.
Crater, Miss Cynthia	Miller, Mrs. U. A.	COLORED
Durham, Cov	Miller, G. W.	Biggers, P. A.
Durham, H. A.	Miller, Miss Jettie	Bowers, Lee
Elledge, Hamilton	Miller, Miss Lillian	Foust, A. H.
Edminston, Gertrude	McGhinnis, V.	Harris, C. C.
Felts, C. S.	McNeil, J. C.	Harris, Mrs. Bessie
Greer, Mrs. Mattie	McNeil, Miss Cora	Hackett, Mrs. Luola
Greene, Mrs. Marie	Nichols, J. T.	Hackett, A. N.
Gilreath, Miss Janie	Pardue, Miss Ina	Majors, J. W.
Hoots, Miss Ether	Richardson, Mrs. Dacie	Robertz, N. W.
Hoots, Miss Ora	Sebastian, W. H.	Transou, J. I.
Hays, A. B.	Sebastian, D. C.	Transou, Mrs. Emma
Hutchinson, S. C.		

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT.

The award of certificates of merit to all who were perfect in attendance during the past year played no little part in the increased enrollment and attendance here. There were 752 children to receive these certificates of merit, and they came to get them at the County Commencement from one end of the county to the other. This is but one instance of many that might be cited to show the ever increasing interest on the part of our people in all things that pertain to the education of their children. It shows unmistakably that they are determined to give their children a better chance in the race of life than was allotted to them. This has become a permanent feature in the work of the county. The following is a list of those who received certificates of merit for perfect attendance during the past year:

Parks Davis	Rune Eller	Ada Transou
Scott Davis	Nellie Matherly	Alma Wright
Viola Eller	Elma Matherly	Vera Wright
Clyde Eller	Lillian Holloway	Blanche Jones
Loyce Watts	Gracie Kilby	Carrie Jones
Gwyn Eller	Blanche McBride	Sam Jones
Clinton Eller	Jennie McBride	Lee Jones
Carl Hawkins	Thelma Cooper	Louise Melville
Mattie Hawkins	Ethel Cooper	Ellen Esiey
Sallie Hawkins	Edgar Thompson	Hugh Steelman
Hugh Hawkins	Clyne Cooper	Willie Steelman
Katy Hawkins	Masie Hall	Bertha Baity
John Barnett	Elmira Sidden	Elzenia Baity
Lelia Barnett	Bernice Holbrook	Icie Baity
Lake Barnett	Georgia Lou Holbrook	Delsie Baity
Flossie Barnett	Celia Curry	David Brooks
Esau Hodges	Odell Blevins	Ada Baity
Dewey Hodges	Flora Blevins	Rosalie Moore
Fred Hodges	Ada Bell	Herman Moore
John Hodges	Dorothy Bell	Emma Lee Walker
Charlie Hodges	Major Bell	Sallie Rea Walker
Bettie Triplett	Grant Caudill	Frank Walker
Marice Triplett	Paul Caudill	Etta Belle Costner
Iva Triplett	George Blevins	Homer Costner
Viola Welch	Hattie Blevins	James Spurgeon
Ruth Welch	Elenor Absher	Atta A Lowe
Rex Welch	Ochus Absher	W. Herman Lowe

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

Rea Welch	Ella Mae Bumgarner	Sewell Robinson
John Wellborn	Dosia Myers	Albert Jennings
Paul Wellborn	Vennie Myers	Edwin Jennings
Ray Wellborn	Herman Wiles	Walter Winkler
Sallie Hendrix	Flora Wiles	Hubert Winkler
Fay Welch	Eula Wiles	Bradford Hendren
Lola Sheets	Donal Wiles	Hoyt Hendren
Rosco Sheets	Frazier Wiles	Nellie Mastin
Marie Waters	Fannie Taylor	Lucyntha Mastin
Taft Mikeal	Alice Abshers	Stacy Williams
Bettie Benge	Orlena Abshers	Annie Mastin
Alice Anderson	Della Abshers	Charlie Mastin
Amanda Anderson	Lonnie Abshers	Isaac Anderson
Nellie West	Lonnie Billings	Emma Hester
Jennie Carlton	Roy Holbrook	Annie Steele
Everette Parsons	Kermit Absher	Arthur Steele
Clifford Pilkenton	Arle Rhodes	Flossie Combs
Ella Bumgarner	Beatrice Whitley	Ellie Hayes
Roxie Wyatt	Maggie Rhodes	Bilmah Reid
Nellie Staley	Stella Blackburn	Ray Reid
Ola Staley	Zellma Jennings	Glen Johnson
Thornton Staley	Howard Brown	Fay Johnson
Richard Staley	Emma Bauguss	Sallie Anderson
Robert Staley	Mary Bauguss	Amy Anderson
Carl Colvard	Lura Pruitt	Bertha Anderson
Mitch Shepherd	Bertha Crabb	Zella Tevepough
Mamie Adkins	Annie Bauguss	Lucile German
McKriever Adkins	Fexie Richardson	Annie Ruth German
Garlie Foster	Aima Cheek	Jessie Swanson
Troy Foster	Myrtle Pruitt	Elma Laws
Francis Foster	Maude Pruitt	N. E. German
Venoer Foster	James Cothren	Sam Russell
Georgia C. Teague	Chester Billings	Mabel Brock
Eugenia D. Teague	Barney Crabb	Fleet Brock
Robert R. Teague	Theodore Bauguss	Nellie Brock
Ina D. Whittington	Arnel Pruitt	Eula Brock
Glenn Beshears	Bahson Cothren	Vaughn Jennings
Bessie Beshears	Lyman Shepherd	Winnie Brock
Zeb V. Beshears	Wain Shepherd	Odell Brock
Nancy Beshears	Virge Shepherd	Stella Brock
Nora Beshears	Buell Shepherd	Dwight Glass
Nellie Mikeal	Ira Billings	Harve Call
Gerna Walsh	Vera Brown	Sanford Call
Mamie Vickers	John A. Holbrook	Claud Call

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

Beatrice Nichols	Conley Harris	Garvis Glass
Esther Nichols	Savanna Harris	Clyde Glass
Teddy Nichols	Chyopaher Billings	Elsie Foster
Dwight Nichols	Mabel Bryan	Lestie Barnett
Selma Nichols	Thelma Johnson	Gaither Glass
Edna Canter	Nina Brown	Audie Call
Alder Canter	Mattie Rose Laws	Gwyn Adams
Lisha Bumgarner	Agnes Surratt	Ruth Felts
Linney Bumgarner	Lucile Scroggs	Vivian Prevette
Minnie Porter	Grace Earp	Effie Prevette
Annie Porter	Walter Earp	Sudie Prevette
Gaither Porter	Breta Poe Scroggs	Cain Prevette
Sallie Lovette	Ruth Hicks	King Prevette
Edna Lovette	Hubert Pardue	Roy Nicholson
Mona Lovette	Eugene Pardue	Carl Nicholson
Rachel Nichols	Agnes Pardue	Felix Souther
Toy Nichols	Lois Pardue	Reginal Jones
Edith Elledge	Ruby Anderson	Edgar Turner
Clate Kilby	Claud Anderson	Commie Gregory
Kate Kilby	Lee Anderson	Ray Gregory
Raemon Foster	Virginia Colvard	L. P. Somers
Irnal Foster	Dake Wellborn	Etta Nicholson
Gilbert Foster	Alvin Wellborn	Ralph Myers
Zora Church	Ivey Wellborn	Albert Myers
Simon Bullis	Lonie Luffman	Billie Myers
Colletta Foster	Mary Luffman	Sallie May Mitchell
Forest Foster	Eller Luffman	Cora Bell Mitchell
Docia Minton	Dewey Luffman	Clay Mitchell
Colin Watson	Grats Luffman	Sallie Everidge
Ira Phillips	Sallie Holcomb	Fannie Everidge
Elsie Phillips	Bessie Lowe	Johnie Somers
Ruby Forester	Ralph Settle	Jimmie Somers
Mattie Sue Forester	Hester Settle	Mertie Somers
Bruce Crysel	Wayne Tucker	Otto Somers
Jerry Crysel	Emily Lyon	Charlie Somers
Kermit Watson	Theodore Lyon	Paul Casey
Helen Watson	Charlie Byrd	Silas Casey
Hazel Watson	Fannie Byrd	Chy Rash
Hazel Hayes	Eller Byrd	Theo Tharpe
Helen Hair	Vance Byrd	Willie Tharpe
Taft Phillips	Sue Lyon	Coy Tharpe
Stokes Phillips	Grady Dimmette	Grace Tharpe
Pearl Parsons	Hazel Martin	Maie Tharpe
Beatrice Parsons	Richard Martin	Lora Tharpe

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

Blanche Parsons	Ralph Martin	Maude Burcham
Ella Whittington	Charlie Morrison	Roxie Burcham
Myrtle Whittington	Granville Morrison	Arlie Byrd
Annie Whittington	Luther Morrison	Marshal Barker
Florence Church	Mary Eller	Major Barker
Beartice Church	Stella Eller	Annie Barker
Wayne Eller	Gertrude Pardue	Marcus Barker
Loyd Allen	Archie Sale	Eloise Greenwood
Myrtle Allen	Blanche Sale	Paul Church
Cowles Hall	Charlie Couch	Rex Church
Herman Dula	Bob Greene	Myra Sale
Mamie Dula	Lillian Calloway	Fannie Sparks
Garvie Foster	Ona Calloway	Mackie Edwards
Arlie Foster	Etta Greene	Homer Barker
Taft Foster	Stella Pettyjohn	Cecil Barker
Alma Foster	Flavil Souther	Fairley Royal
Edith Foster	Cecil Johnson	Glenn Royal
Avis Foster	Georgia Johnson	Lucile Parsons
Vernon Marley	Rhoda Johnson	Virginia Dare Bernard
Gwyn Parsons	Jettie Johnson	Elizabeth Foster
Ella Mae Foster	Macey Johnson	Hilliary Foster
Lake Messick	Cordie Johnson	Herman Sprinkle
Robert G. Cheatwood	Russell Johnson	Larry Brewer
Edith Handv	Otho Johnson	Myrtle Norris
Thelma Handy	Paul Johnson	John Anderson
Dora Caudill	Silas Johnson	James Allen
Clev Cleary	Shirley Johnson	Elizabeth Willis
Cora Cleary	Claude Hampton	Richard Waugh
George Joines	Ella Inscore	Mary Trogdon
Nae Shumate	Thelma Inscore	Louise Shoaf
Edith Banguss	Ethel Inscore	Rufus Joines
Hattie Sebastian	Lara Gregory	Inez Spainhour
Dora Sebastian	George Johnson	Minnie Hart
Sherman Sebastian	Julius Johnson	Buster Forester
Lorenzo Sebastian	Charlie Johnson	Richard Cranor
Charles L. Sebastian	John C. Ray	Harry Mechem
Willie Harrold	Dosie Souther	Virginia Hix
Dora Harrold	Gladis Harris	Ralph Marlow
Treely Harrold	Lillie Bell Harris	Richard Dean
Syble Harrold	Mae Haynes	Annie Horton
Ruth Shatley	Bertie Coffey	Burris Day
Morgan Shatley	Myrtle Jarvis	Russell Day
Grace Shatley	Eula Mae Souther	Boston Day
Gordon Shatley	Kora Bell Souther	Bernice Day

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

Coyd Shatley
 Minnie Elledge
 Harrold Elledge
 Velna Myers
 Ruth Gregory
 Dafna Myers
 Eunice Gregory
 Paul Gregory
 Willie Wiles
 Dwight Church
 Wm. Lee Church
 Weldon Myers
 Edwin Myers
 George Myers
 Granville Byrd
 Zona Byrd
 Mabel Bumgarner
 Jim Kilby
 Inez Caudill
 Walsie Adams
 Gilmer Caudill
 Clara Caudill
 Maggie Rhoads
 Panzie Sebastian
 Horton Lowe
 Ray Parlier
 Nita Parlier
 Carrie Parker
 Eula Mae Parker
 Robert Parker
 Charlie Carsen
 Alma Jennings
 Lucinda Hendren
 Sherman Hendren
 Virginia Hendren
 Maude Walker
 Mansfield Jarvis
 Raymond Johnson
 Evie Chambers
 Nell Foster
 Bessie Parker
 Zilla Call
 Katy Chambers
 Vera Call

Bossman Scuther
 Clyde Souther
 Crommie Coffey
 Jonnie Jennings
 Charlie Jennings
 Fannie Nicholson
 Nola Howard
 Darlie Jennings
 Minnie D. Jennings
 Spencer Howard
 Jettie Newman
 Collie Mathis
 Nellie Settle
 Lexie Settle
 Lucile Mathis
 Tilden Mathis
 Nancy Adams
 Dumont Eskridge
 Erma Span
 Alma Span
 Clarrie Darnell
 Ada Blackburn
 Carl McCarter
 Lottie Blackburn
 Clifton Blackburn
 Rosa Caudill
 Albert Caudill
 Elmer Caudill
 Viola Longbottom
 Lula Longbottom
 Talmage Longbottom
 Gladith Longbottom
 Ethel Barker
 Dillon Barker
 Bonnie Rea Barker
 Hattie Barker
 Roy Cockerham
 May Cockerham
 Arlie Cockerham
 Tyra Cockerham
 Roy Thornton
 Della Thornton
 Connie West
 Dwight Jarvis

COLORED

Lillie E. Sprinkle
 Era Dobbins
 Turner Sprinkle
 Owen Spencer Dobbins
 Clara Redmond
 Charlie Redmond
 Francis Boyce
 Ruby Smith
 Carrie B. McCurdy
 Ethel McCurdy
 Blanche McCurdy
 Jinnie E. Mitchell
 Willie Mitchell
 Eugene Mitchell
 Mabel Bynum
 Allen Bynum
 Sina Russell
 Thomas Lynch
 Leula Fugett
 Bessie Fugett
 Lonnie Fugett
 Rosa Holloway
 Howard Hatton
 Charlie Hatton
 Avry Hatton
 Lee Hatton
 Eugene Hatton
 Omie Ferguson
 Boyd Ferguson
 David Witherspoon
 Julia A. Martin
 Annie Sue Martin
 Lula Esta Sale
 Savannah Sale
 Willie Horton
 Ida Horton
 Grace Horton
 Eugene Simpson
 Ester Parks
 Jessie Bass
 Allie Bass
 Julia Bass
 Eva Bass

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

Clyde Call	Nell Jarvis	Maggie Bass
Walter Dula	Noah Jarvis	Minnie Bass
Paul Bishop	Minnie Sue Jarvis	Noister Sale
Nannie Bishop	Lillie St. John	Katie Parks
Henry Lenderman	Roxie St. John	Pearlie Sale
Myrtle Steele	Noah St. John	Ruth Parks
Winnie Steele	Agnes Byrd	Telia Carlton
Margaret Smithey	Taft Eller	Mattie Carlton
Lena Hollar	Katrina Walsh	Pansie Carlton
Commie Adams	Lola Sheets	Mary L. Carlton
Fipps Leckie	Roscoe Sheets	Vertie Carlton
Edgar Reynolds	Eugene Shepherd	Hattie May Carlton
Carrie Brookshire	Clay Walsh	John Cuudiff
Tommie Church	Vessie Edmisten	William Brown
James Hix	Albert Higgins	Grace Harris
Esmarch Gilreath	Blanch Shepherd	Louise Williams
Irving Martin	Bruce Crysel	Emma Brown
Mary Lindsey Stafford	Jerry Crysel	William Wellborn
Mamie Colvard	Mamie Vickers	J. P. Brown
Carrie Vance Foote	Mattie Sue Forester	Howard Roberts
Vide Caudill	Ruby Forester	Fred Roberts
Ruth Caudill	Cordie Long	Alma Gilreath
Francis Johnson	Beatrice Long	Mary Gilreath
James Hauser	Guy Tulbert	Allen Gilreath
Eula Forester	Fayett Church	Ruth Kelly
Carl Pettyjohn	Maggie Keys	Hance Barber
Eugene Pettyjohn	Maude Keys	Ella Mae Brown
Annie Pettyjohn	Frank Keys	Louise Lomax
Ila Adams	Ward Keys	Ola Barber
Ira Glass	Claude Keys	Talmadge Harris
Henry Williams	Clyde Keys	James Courten
Monroe Curry	Paralee Triplett	Charlie Whittington
Lytle McBride	Walter Woods	Hubert Whittington
Fred McBride	Wayne Woods	Grace Gilreath
Eunice Greene	Clarence Woods	Alease Watts
Press Brown	Mamie Woods	Hattie Brown
Hugh Lonsford	Roby Woods	Floyd Anderson
Roy Mahaffey	Loretta Woods	Stella Hampton
Bulb Mahaffey	Deloris Woods	Dennie Martin
Clark Gregory	Leona Hawkins	Lula May Martin
Vaughn Mayberry	Hattie Hall	Dorothea Martin
Belle Lonsford	Clyde Hall	Jimmie Martin
Mayme Lonsford	Robert Hall	Elizabeth Martin
Joyce Lonsford	Bertha Hall	Thomas Hampton
Katie Lonsford	Raymond Hendrix	Reginal Cundiff
Stella Ladd	Oscar Royal	Gwyn Cundiff
Foda Mayberry	Nora Royal	Leora German
Emma Lee Mayberry	Ellie Royal	

LIBRARY CERTIFICATES.

Desire to further stimulate interest among the boys and girls in reading books in the school libraries the Board of Education has given to each pupil in the schools who has read not less than fifty books during the calendar year a library certificate attesting to this fact. The following are the names of those who have secured these during the year 1918-19:

Roby Kilby	Rebecca Spicer	Sallie Ree Walker
Albert Jennings	Harry Dula	Vernon Poplin
Fred Miller	Clara Blevins	Virginia Colvard
Emma Hester	Margaret Iseley	Hubert Pardue
Grace Eiler	Audrey Hardin	Harold Sale
Annie Steele	Estelle Deal	COLORED
Charlie Elledge	Elizabeth Shcre	Creolar Horton
Paul Casey	Thelma Laws	Grace Horton
Silas Casey	Hazel Church	Etta Horton
Lillian Edmiston	Clara Jones	Nina Carson
Gwen Hendren	Nell Duncan	Catherine Horton
Gladys Cardwell	Viva Foster	Leonard Doughton
Paul Swanson	Mary Horton	Carlen Graham
Louise Forester	Roxie Fletcher	Russell Horton
Jim Deal	Emma Lee Walker	Willie Guthrie
Elizabeth Winkler		

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The meetings of the Teachers' Association have been well attended during the past year. Practically all of the teachers of the county are members of this body and take an active part in the work. These meetings have played no little part in the progress which our county has made along educational lines in the past decade. They have enabled the teachers to meet and know each other. They have given them higher ideals, greater inspiration, and more love for the work in which they are engaged. The colored teachers have an association which meets regularly and which has done great good for the schools of that race.

Alexander, J. F.	Fairchild, Albert	Pennell, Miss Laura
Billings, C. E.	Gilreath, Miss Florence	Pruitt, Miss Etta

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

Bird, W. B.	Gilreath, Miss Janie M.	Pruitt, Miss Bertie
Blackburn, Miss Effie	Gilliam, J. A.	Poplin, Miss Mary
Billings, Miss Maude	Greene, Asa	Porter, James R.
Billings, W. P.	Greene, Mrs. Marie	Parker, Miss Dora
Billings, Miss Roxie	Grider, W. W.	Pardue, Stephen
Burcham, Mrs. Jane	Handy, Mrs. Susie	Revis, Miss Mary
Bauguss, Miss Bessie	Hinshaw, L. N.	Revis, Miss Bertha
Billings, H. E.	Hawkins, Francis	Redding, J. P.
Brewer, W. L.	Humphries, Miss Addie	Ray, J. B.
Blevins, Minter	Haynes, Miss Beulah	Shatley, Miss Beatrice
Bumgarner, M. F.	Hays, A. B.	Settle, Miss Ada
Billings, Miss Grace	Hays, Miss Idunia	Settle, Claude M.
Bird, Mrs. W. E.	Hoots, Miss Ether	Smoak, Miss Nettie L.
Billings, Miss Minnie	Howell, James	Sale, Mrs. Addie E.
Barker, M. F.	Hollar, Miss Maude	Sparks, Miss Maude
Billings, Ira B.	Hoots, Miss Eunice	Swanson, Miss Mary E.
Bumgarner, Gaither	Hoots, Miss Ora	Sebastian, W. H.
Billings, J. G.	Hutchinson, S. C.	Sebastian, D. C.
Boyd, J. C.	Hayes, Miss Pedia	Sebastian, I. E.
Church, Miss Fannie	Harris, Miss Jennie	Settle, E. W.
Comer, Mrs. W. T.	Hendren, Miss Della	Salmons, Miss Ella
Church, I. C.	Howard, Blain	Smoak, Mrs. Savannah
Craft, W. R.	Inscore, Miss Cora	Somers, Miss Nell
Craft, Mrs. Maggie	M. Kyle, Miss Minnie R.	Triplett, Miss Bess L.
Carter, Miss Lillie	Lane, J. F.	Thompson Miss B. B.
Carter, Miss Mayme	McGrady, Spencer	Triplett, L. A.
Comer, W. T.	McCarter, Miss Maie	Triplett, Miss Belva
Church, J. C.	Martin, Miss Lizzie	Wright, J. T. C.
Cherry, Miss Mabel	McGhinnis, V.	Watts, F. C.
Calloway, Miss Lena	Mastin, M. P.	Wellborn, James L.
Church, Miss Vera	Miles, G. W.	Webster, Miss E.
Chambers, Miss R.	McGrady, John	Wall, Miss Bess M.
Durham, W. A.	McLean, Miss Bessie	Wood, J. H.
Durham Coy	McNeil, J. C.	Whittington, Miss C. V.
Durham, Mrs. Collie	Miller, Miss Lillian	Wellborn, L. D.
Durham H. A.	Myers, Miss Nettie	Winkler, Miss Annie
Dixon, Miss Alice L.	Myers, Miss Hessie	West, Miss Annie
Elledge, Reid	Miller, Mrs. Blanche	West, Miss Treva
Edmisten Gertrude	Miller, G. W.	White, Miss Wardie
Elledge, C. B.	Miles, Charlie	Wail, Miss Hassie E.
Elledge Miss Docia	Mayberry, Miss Myrtle	Woodruff, Miss Janie
Elledge, Miss Nora	Moore, Mrs. Nellie	Wood, Miss Maude
Eller, T. H.	Nichols, J. T.	Wyatt, Miss Cordia
Elliott, J. S.	Pardue, Miss Ina	Willis, E. C.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

Elledge Spencer

Foster, A. J.

Fields, C. F.

Faw, Claude C.

Parsons, J. C.

Pardue, Miss Mary

Porter, Miss Dona E.

Walsh, Miss Edith

Vannoy, Miss Ethel M.

Yates, F. G.

RURAL LIBRARIES.

We now have one hundred and fifty libraries in the county, one in every school both white and colored, and two hundred and forty-six supplements have been placed in these. It is a source of much gratification to see how extensively these books are being read by both parents and pupils. I desire to take this opportunity to extend my sincere and heartfelt thanks to the friends of education who have so greatly aided us in this work. Without this aid many of the libraries which have gone into the schools of the county would not have been established. Wilkes County, by the way, has more original and more supplementary libraries than any other county in the State.

In addition to these we have placed twenty second original libraries as allowed by the General Assembly of 1915. We have all the libraries both original and supplementary to which our county is entitled under the law and have on hand a number of applications waiting for the State aid to become available in December 1920.

As the school law limits the number of original libraries which may go into any county to six during each biennial period, perhaps it is as well to explain why our county has been enabled to place so many of these. There is a provision in the law which allows any county in the State having applications on file in the office of the State Department of Education at the close of the fiscal year ending the biennial period to secure those libraries which may not have been taken by other counties, hence Wilkes has been enabled to place one hundred and fifty original libraries instead of sixty to which she was entitled under the law—ninety of these having been forfeited by other counties. She has plac-

ed also one hundred and ninety-two supplements to her schools forfeited in like manner. This, I take it, is one of the most unmistakable signs of progress along the lines of educational development, and one of the strongest indications that our people are becoming vitally interested in the success and welfare of their children, they are becoming rapidly alive to the vast importance of placing the world's best literature in their hands. The child who has access to a well selected library has a decided advantage over one less favorably situated. This thing of libraries for the public schools is vastly more important than many of us, with more books than we can read, realize. Probably we do not stop to think that there are hundreds of pupils who hunger and thirst after good reading, who idle away the long winter evenings longing for something to read but without the opportunity to satisfy that longing. It is for these children that books are necessary, books to feed their starving minds, books to incite them to intellectual growth, books to make them thinking men and women.

THE COUNTY COMMENCEMENT.

The county commencement this year was again held in sections. The arrangement of the various townships was practically the same as that of a year ago.

The commencement for the first group was held at Millers Creek on April 19th, that for the second group at Mountain View on April 26th, that for the third group at Wilkesboro on May 3rd, that for the fourth group at Ronda on May 17th. The commencement for the colored was held at Wilkesboro on May 9th. Without an exception these were well attended and each was a success beyond the most sanguine expectations of its promoters. Contests in reciting and spelling were held and medals were awarded to the winners. On these days teachers, school committeemen and those interested in public education gathered from all parts of the county and witnessed the graduating exercises of the class of 1919, 110 strong from the common schools. Each graduate

was presented with a diploma certifying that the holder had completed the common school course. These were indeed gala days for the people of Wilkes County and were in keeping with the educational development of the past few years. To my mind this is the most forward movement of our people along educational lines yet undertaken. The County Commencement will become a permanent feature in the educational work of the county and no doubt will be instrumental in inspiring many of our boys and girls to remain in school who would otherwise drop out in the lower grades. No doubt a number of these will go through the County High School thus securing the diploma given on the completion of the eleventh grade, while some of these will go on to college and complete their education. Who can tell what possibilities are wrapped up in the County Commencement?

WAR SAVINGS SOCIETIES.

In response to the request of the Board of War Activities a campaign was launched looking to the organization of War Savings Societies in the various districts with the result that forty-five schools were organized. Practically all of these were active in the sale of thrift stamps and war savings stamps, several thousand dollars being sold through these agencies. The following is a list of the schools which organized societies:

Antioch No. 2, Col.

Boomer No 1

Boomer No. 2 Col.

Brushy Mountain No. 2.

Edwards No. 3.

Edwards No. 12.

Edwards No. 1, Col.

Elk No. 1

Elk No. 1, Col.

Jobs Cabin No. 2.

Jobs Cabin No. 2.

Jobs Cabin No. 4.

Lewis Fork No. 2.

Lovelace No. 3.

New Castle No. 2, Col.

New Castle No. 7.

North Wilkesboro No. 1.

North Wilkesboro (Central)

North Wilkesboro No. 2.

North Wilkesboro No. 1, Col.

North Wilkesboro No. 2, Col.

Reddies River No. 4.

Reddies River No. 5.

Rock Creek No. 5.

Rock Creek (Mountain View)

Rock Creek No. 5. (Junior)

Somers No. 5.

Traphill No. 1.

WAR SAVINGS SOCIETIES

Moravian Falls No. 1 A.	Union No. 5.
Moravian Falls No. 1 B.	Walnut Grove No. 5.
Moravian Falls No. 2.	Wilkesboro No. 2.
Moravian Falls No. 3.	Wilkesboro No. 2.
Moravian Falls No. 5.	Wilkesboro No. 5.
Muberry No. 2.	Wilkesboro No. 6.
Mulberry No. 3.	Wilkesboro No. 1, Col.
Mulberry No. 5.	Wilkesboro No. 2, Col.
Mulberry No. 8.	Wilkesboro No. 2, Col.
New Castle No. 1, Col.	Wilkesboro No. 3, Col.

RED CROSS ORGANIZATIONS

A campaign was made during the year for Junior Red Cross Members resulting in the organization of several societies in the schools here and yonder. These organizations were right active in raising funds for the prosecution of the work. Following is a list of those schools where Junior Red Cross Societies were organized:

Brushy Mountain No. 3.	Rock Creek No. 5.
Edwards No. 12.	Traphill No. 1.
Jobs Cabin No. 2.	Traphill No. 4.
Mulberry No. 5.	Walnut Grove No. 4.
New Castle No. 2.	Walnut Grove No. 5.
New Castle No. 7.	COLORED.
Reddies River No. 1.	Elk No. 1.

HONOR ROLL FOR TEACHERS.

Early in the year the following letter was sent to all the teachers:

We have decided to again adopt the Honor Roll for the teachers of the county for the year ending June 30, 1919. The names of all those who succeed in getting on the Honor Roll will be published in the local papers and also in the annual report for 1919. The requirements are as follows:

1. Are you a member of the County Teachers' Association,
2. Are you a member of the State Teachers' Reading Circle?
3. Did you attend a summer school or the Teachers' Institute in 1917 or 1918?

4. Do you have desk copies of the text books which you are required to teach?.....
5. Do you read any educational journal? If so, what?....
6. Have you raised any funds this year? If so, state amount raised and for what purpose?
7. Have you improved the house and grounds in any way? If so, how, and to what extent?.....
8. Have you visited the patrons of your school this term?
9. Have you held any parents' meetings, debates, spelling matches or entertainments?
10. Have you enrolled any club members this year?.....
11. Will your school be represented at the Township Meeting, and at the County Commencement in any of the contests?
12. Have you observed any special day in school this year? If so, what?
13. Have you held or tried to hold a Moonlight school in your district this year?.....
14. Have you contributed anything to the Educational Department in the local papers this year?.....
15. Have you established or tried to establish a school farm or garden?
16. Have you organized a War Savings Society in your school this year?.....
17. Have you organized a Junior Red Cross Society in your school this year?.....
18.

Number 18 is intended for any particular activity which the teacher thinks worthy of mention and which may be counted in lieu of any of the above. The Superintendent is to pass on the merit of this number.

Those answering 70 per cent. of these questions in the affirmative will be entitled to a place on the Honor Roll.

Assistant teachers will answer questions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, and 14.

Following is a list of those teachers meeting the requirements:

L. Brewer	Miss Ora Hoots	Miss Mattie E. Sale
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Miss Minnie Billings	S. C. Hutchinson	Mrs. Addie E. Sale
M. F. Bumgarner	Miss Eunice Hoots	D. C. Sebastian
J. C. Church	Miss Ether Hoots	Miss Belva Triplett
W. R. Craft	Mrs. Minnie Kyle	L. D. Weliborn
Miss Mayme Carter	J. F. Layne	Miss Janie Woodruff
Miss Alice Dixon	V. McGinnis	COLORED
W A. Durham	Charlie Miles	Mrs. Louester Dobbins
Coy Durham	Miss Bess McLean	Mrs. Sarah Patterson
Mrs. Collie Durham	Miss L. L. Martin	J. I. Transou
A. J. Foster	Miss Mary Pardue	Mrs. Emma W. Transou
Miss Janie M. Gilreath	Miss China K. Redmond	Mrs. K. C. Witherspoon
Miss Florence Gilreath	Miss Bertha Reas	Mrs. U. A. Miller
Asa Greene	Mrs. Bettie Roberts	G. W. Miller
A. B. Hays		

STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE.

Early in the year the following letter was sent to all the teachers of the county:

In order to stimulate the work in the county we have decided to again establish the Standard of Excellence which obtained here last year. The names of all the schools that can measure up to the requirements enumerated here will be published in the local papers and also in the annual report of the public schools. The requirements are as follows:

1. Is the school building painted?.....
2. Has the school a bell?.....
3. Has the district an original school library?.....
4. Has your school library been supplemented?.....
5. Has your school been supplied with desks?.....
6. Has your school been supplied with maps, blackboards and charts?.....
7. Has your school enrollment reached not less than 90 per cent. of the original school census?.....
8. Has the average daily attendance in your school this year reached not less than 75 per cent. of the enrollment?....
9. Has your school enrolled any club members this year?..
10. Has your school observed any special day this year?..
11. Has your school any debates, parents' meetings, spelling matches or entertainments this year?

12. Has your school raised any funds this year for any purpose?.....

13. Has your school held or tried to hold a Moonlight School this year?.....

14. Have you improved the schoolhouse and grounds this year?.....

15. Have you established or tried to establish a school farm or school garden this year?.....

16. Has your school organized a War Savings Society this year?.....

17. Has your school organized a Junior Red Cross Society this year?.....

Those answering 70 per cent. of the above questions in the affirmative will be entitled to a place on the list of A-1 Schools.

The following is a list of those schools which met the requirements:

Brushy Mountain No. 3	New Castle No. 2	COLORED
Edwards No. 11.	Reddies River No. 3	Beaver Creek No. 1.
Edwards No. 12.	Traphill No. 4.	Boomer No. 1
Jobs Cabin No. 2.	Wilkesboro No. 2.	Elk No. 1.
Moravian Falls No. 1	Wilkesboro No. 4.	Traphill No. 1.
Mulberry No. 5		Wilkesboro No. 2.

THE WORK OF THE YEAR.

The year just closing has been a successful one. The enrollment and attendance have really been phenomenal when we consider the percentage enrolled and in attendance in the country as a whole. In the increase in the valuation of school property, in the number of painted schoolhouses and in many activities the progress has been truly gratifying.

During the year we have increased the number of our supplementary libraries. We increased the number of houses with bells, a number of buildings have been erected while others have been repaired.

Our county high schools at Wilkesboro and Ronda have done good work this year. These schools give free tuition to

all public school teachers and to those above the seventh grade. The school at Ronda has a course of study covering two years while the school at Wilkesboro covers a period of four, preparing the student to enter college.

A well equipped dormitory is in operation at Wilkesboro where good board is furnished as cheaply as possible. At Ronda good board may be obtained in private families at reasonable prices while cottages are rented to those who wish to board themselves. There are two other schools in the county which prepare students for college; North Wilkesboro Graded School and Mountain View Institute. At the latter place two excellent dormitories are in operation, one for the girls and one for the boys. Board here is given on the co-operative plan or at actual cost.

By means of circular letters, correspondence, the local press, the telephone, through visits and personal interviews I have endeavored to keep in close touch with the work this year.

Certificates of Merit were given to 752 children in the public schools that had not been absent during the term. This feature has done more, perhaps, than any other one thing to encourage attendance in the schools. It has become a permanent feature of the work here in the county.

Awards of honor were again given to those who had been perfect in spelling and two hundred and forty-four children were present at the county commencement to receive these.

An interesting feature of the commencement exercises was the award of gold medals to twelve children who had attended school every day for seven years.

A colored commencement was held at Wilkesboro on May 9th and was largely attended by the colored people from all sections of the county. Five diplomas of graduation were issued, ninety certificates of merit were given for perfect attendance, twenty-six awards of honor were presented for perfect spelling during the term and eight library certificates were given. The library certificate plan was continued this year. To every pupil in the public schools of the county who

had read no less than fifty books from the library during the year was awarded a library certificate. Forty-two certificates were given this year. This has also become a permanent feature of the educational work of the county.

A very interesting feature of the work this year was the series of preliminary contests in the various schools for the purpose of selecting two pupils to represent the district in the township contest. These preliminary contests were held on Friday afternoon, March 21st, when two pupils were chosen both in spelling and in reciting and declaiming to take part in the township contest on March 29th. At this time two contestants were chosen in both spelling, reciting and declaiming to represent the township at the group county commencements. The winners in the commencement contests had the distinction of being the successful ones in three successive contests.

Hundreds of debates, spelling matches, entertainments and parents' meetings were held during the year. School fairs were held in some districts. The State Board of Agriculture at its semi-annual meeting in June of last year, and also its meeting in December made an appropriation for the purpose of encouraging the holding of these fairs.

The Honor Roll for teachers and the Standard of Excellence for schools which have again been in operation this year has each been productive of most excellent results, stimulating the work in many ways.

We conducted this year an Educational Department in the local papers where the teachers had the opportunity to exchange ideas, views and plans of work, where they might tell of the activities of their respective schools and thus acquaint each other and the public generally with what was being done under their supervision. Several teachers took advantage of this and we feel that the work was materially benefitted.

Comparative charts showing the progress in education and the conditions in each township along educational lines were placed upon the walls of the office of the Board of Ed-

ucation and exhibited at the meetings of the Teachers' Association. An outline township map of the county was also displayed in the same manner showing by various colors the percentage of enrollment and average daily attendance in each. This has been helpful in inciting a healthy rivalry between the several townships.

We again adopted the method introduced in the schools last year of giving certificates for perfect monthly attendance. This, for obvious reasons, has helped the daily average attendance in many schools.

In conclusion I wish to express my grateful appreciation of the assistance and cordial co-operation of the members of the Board of Education, the clergy, the bar, the press, the school committee, the teachers and friends of education all over the county who have given to me and to the cause of education their most loyal support.

With thankfulness to God for His blessings upon the educational work of the year now closing, and relying upon Him for divine guidance, may we rededicate ourselves to the great task which lies out yonder in the future before us. May the friends of popular education be aroused to a sense of their duties, their responsibilities, and their opportunities. Let no one be content until proper educational facilities are provided for all, a comfortable building properly equipped and above all a teacher trained for the work, one whose personality can touch, inspire and direct the boys and girls of the State; teachers whose lives are in every way an inspiration to their pupils and which will point them to higher nobler and purer things.

A TEACHER'S CREED.

I believe in boys and girls, the men and women of great tomorrow; that whatsoever the boy soweth the man shall reap. I believe in the curse of ignorance, in the efficacy of schools, in the dignity of teaching, and the joy of serving another. I believe in wisdom as revealed in human lives as well as pages of a printed book; in ability to work with the

hands as well as to think with the head; in everything that makes life large and lovely. I believe in beauty in the school room in the home, in daily life and out-of-doors. I believe in laughter, in love, in all ideals and distant hopes that lure us on. I believe that every hour of every day we receive a just reward for all we are and do. I believe in the present and its opportunities, in the future and its promises, and in the divine joy of living.—EDWIN OSGOOD GROVER.

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WILKES COUNTY SERVICE FLAG.

In the office of the Board of Education at Wilkesboro is displayed a service flag containing fifty-three stars, fifty of these are blue and three are golden. These stars represent the teachers who have gone from this county into the service of the United States Army. Three of these made the supreme sacrifice. Their names are as follows:

Charlie Burchett	Clyde Harrington	George Estep
Charlie Felts	Robert Whitley	A. E. Triplett
Lonnie Walker	Clonie Richardson	Challie McNeil
Ralph Swanson	Reid Elledge	C. J. Hawkins
James Haynes	Andrew H. Casey	Charlie Walker (Dead)
Robert Pardue	Grover Caudill	Coite Jones
Sherman Crater	W. E. Comer	James Taylor
John S. McGrady	Robert Casey	Wilbur Stamey
Harvey Walker	Boyce Mayberry	W. G. Gaston
John W. Joines	C. C. Sidden	Quincy Colvard

A. Blaine Hutchinson	Laudie Dimmette	Claude Triplett (Dead)
John W. Hall	Walter Miles	James Howell
Bower Hall	John Burcham	Thornton Marlowe
Monroe Blevins	Elisha Edmisten	Felix Webster
J. B. Dancy	A. C. Sidden	John Reeves
Hampton Elledge	A. G. Church	COLORED
James W. Hayes	Mac Joines (Dead)	T. W. Cowan
C. L. Comer	J. F. Haynes	W. E. Webb

These have taught in the public schools of the county or are Wilkes County citizens.

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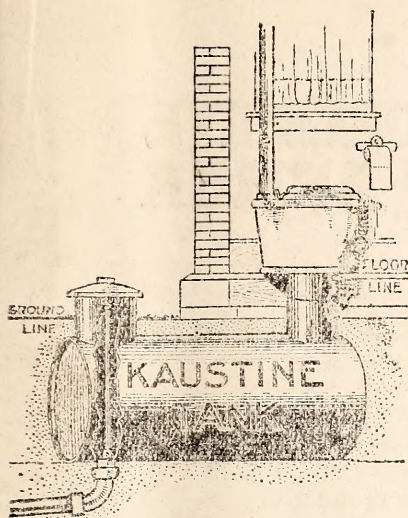
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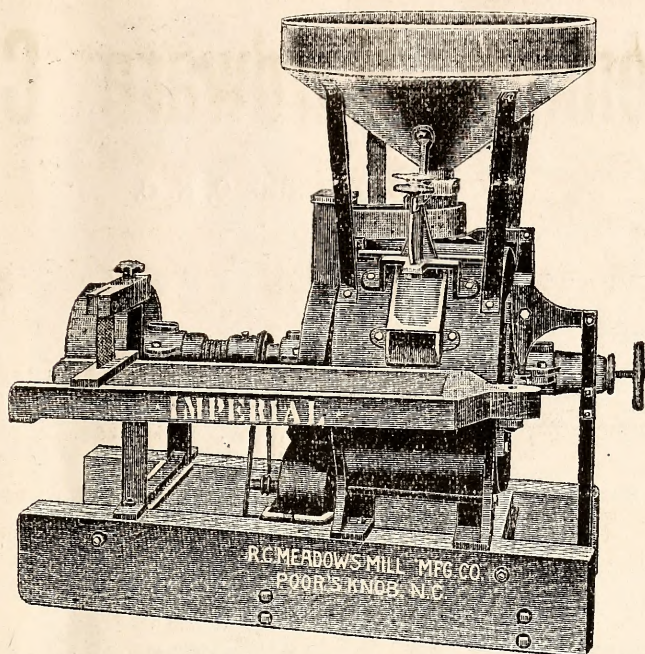
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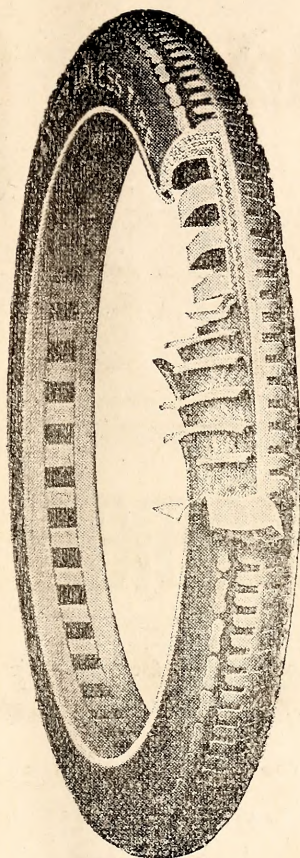
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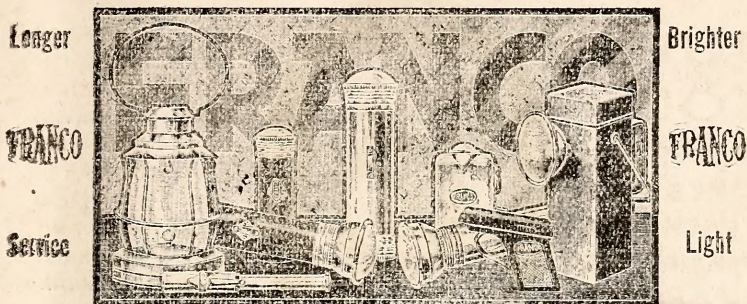
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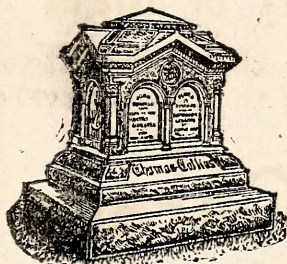
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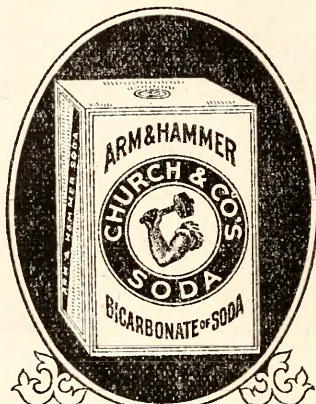
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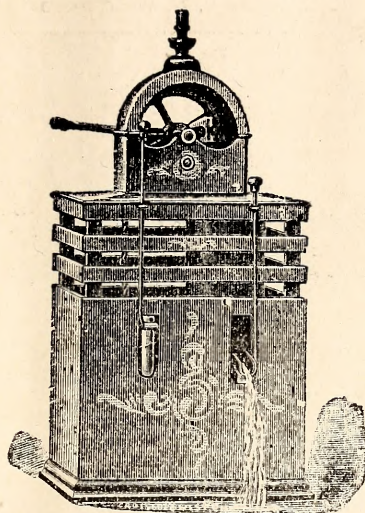
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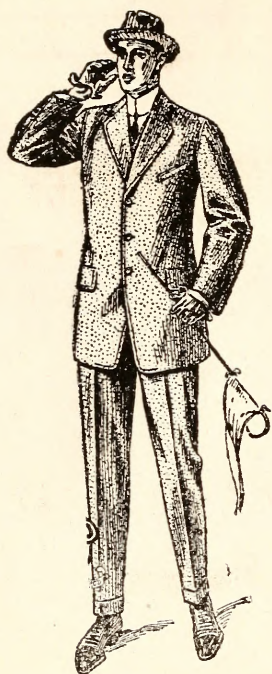
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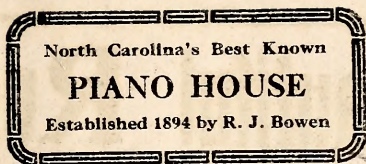
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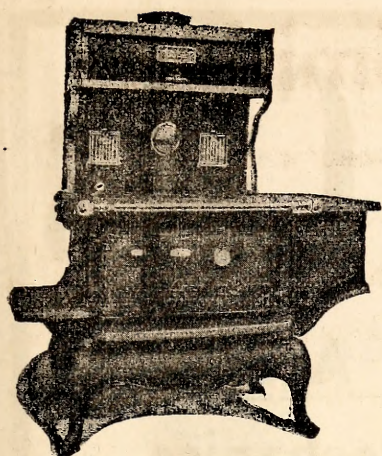
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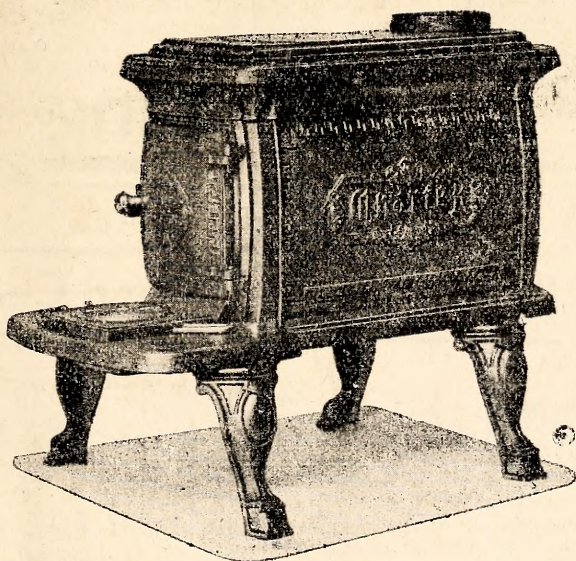


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